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COUNTRY	East Germany		REPORT	
TOPIC	Rothenburg Airfield			
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During a conference which was attended by leading members of the Bavarian Sued in mid-September 1954, mention was made that construction work at Rothenburg airfield was to be completed by 31 December 1954. Also that the field was to be made serviceable for jet bombers and would be occupied by Soviet Air Force.

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Comment. The installations at Rothenburg airfield including a concrete runway, at least 2,500 meters long, 80 meters wide and 25 to 30 cm thick, appears suitable for the occupation of a light bomber unit. This is further supported by the presumed installation of an ammunition dump west of the Bremenham-Dunkelhaeuser road.

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It is believed that the target date for completion of the required installations, which has been fixed as 31 December 1954, will be met.

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